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VERMONT SOLONS TO MAKE CHOICE

State Goes Republican, But Legislature Must Choose Governor.

G. O. P. WINS THE ASSEMBLY

Progressive Vote Prevents Majority Required to Elect Under State Constitution—Karel Leads in Wisconsin.

White River Junction, Vt., Sept. 4.—With nearly two-thirds of the vote of the state returned, it is evident that there is no election under the constitution and that the legislature, also chosen, will have the naming of the next governor of the state.

Normally 30,000 Republican, Vermont gave a plurality of about 10,000 for Allen M. Fletcher, Republican nominee for chief executive. Dr. Metzger, minister-candidate of the Progressives, received approximately 15,600 votes, four-fifths of which came from the ranks of the Republican party and one-fifth from the Democrats. Howe, the Democrat, has probably polled about 20,000.

The returns from the various legislative districts show that that body will be strongly Republican, insuring the choice of Fletcher at the winter session. So far 88 Republicans, 25 Democrats and 10 Progressive members appear to have been successful.

Percentage Maintained.

Returns are slow in coming in, but as there has been hardly any variation in the percentages shown it seems perfectly safe to say that the vote will be divided about as follows: Republican, 42 per cent.; Democrats, 27 per cent., and Progressives, 24 per cent., the remaining being divided between Prohibitionists and Socialists.

The day passed off without any disturbances anywhere. The voters were at the polls early and the ballots were largely cast before noon. All three party headquarters are pleased with the results of the day. Cheering throngs surrounded each, and not one man can be found who will admit that his party has suffered even a slight setback.

Progressive Strength Surprise.

The strength of the new Progressive party in its first line up against the older parties and the disappearance of the Republican majority for the first time in ten years and the first time in the history of the state on a presidential year, were the outstanding features of the state election.

For many years political students have pointed out that any decrease in the Republican majority in Vermont in September below normal of 25,000 has been followed almost invariably by the party defeat in the presidential fight in November. These majorities, which have averaged close to 30,000 in all the state elections in Vermont in presidential years since 1892, were represented by a bare plurality.

Progressives Pleased.

Progressive leaders were greatly pleased with the result. It was pointed out that the party had gone into the fight with an organization that was new to politics and was forced to make up with notable orators what it lacked in party management with Colonel Roosevelt leading the charge. The Democratic managers also derived satisfaction from early returns, showing, as they did, decided gains over two and four years ago.

The Prohibition and the Socialist vote did not vary materially from former years.

Returns Early This Morning.

One hundred and seventy cities and towns out of 246 give: Fletcher (Rep.), 17,369; Howe (Dem.), 12,722; Metzger (Prog.), 10,760.

Same places in 1910 gave: Mead (Rep.), 23,314; Watson (Dem.), 11,025.

Karel Leads in Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, Sept. 4.—Scattering returns from the city of Milwaukee and a dozen cities in Wisconsin outside of Milwaukee show Judge John C. Karel to be leading Adolph J. Schmitz of Milwaukee in the race for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, the leading contest of the state-wide primary. There were no contests for leadership of the other state tickets.

The returns on all other candidates have practically been lost sight of, so great has been the interest in this contest.

Gov. F. E. McGovern, Republican, has been renominated without opposition, as has Lieutenant Governor Thomas Morris of La Crosse.

Women Suffragists Defeated.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 4.—Latest returns from one-half the total precincts in Ohio indicate that 40 out of the 42 amendments to the state constitution submitted to the voters carried. Women's suffrage was beaten 2 to 1, while the proposition to ex-



JULES VÉDRINES

COUNCIL OBJECTS TO BILLS AS PRESENTED

BILL OF JOHN EGAN IS TURNED OVER TO CITY ATTORNEY AND ANOTHER TABLED.

CITY WITNESSES MUST PAY FINE

Commissioners Still Angry Over Arrest of Their Witnesses in Scott Case, But Mark Keller Advises That They Must Pay Fines.

WHAT THE COUNCIL DID.

Passed regular monthly bills to the amount of \$3591.92.

Tabled bill of Katherine Shaw Beetha hospital, amounting to \$70.75, for care of George Dempsey, who suffered a broken leg when the horse he was riding slipped and fell on the pavement at First street and Peoria avenue.

Referred bill of John M. Egan Jr., former city engineer, for \$312.50 for services from June 1 to July 15, to City Attorney M. C. Keller for adjustment.

Stated opposition to proposition of George Aschenbrenner that he be allowed to erect an iron post in front of his new building on which to hang an electric sign.

Instructed city attorney to proceed as he wishes in the prosecution of cases against keepers of houses of ill-fame.

Although there was very little regular business slated for last night's meeting of the city council, the session developed into a very interesting one when, after the passing of the regular bills and turning down two others, the commissioners got to talking things over.

The first discussion took place when, after the bills, amounting to \$3591.92, had been passed, a bill from John M. Egan Jr. of Amboy, former city engineer, was presented. Mr. Egan asked the city for \$312.50 for services during the month of June and until July 15. The commissioners were of the opinion that Mr. Egan's charges were excessive, alleging that he had done very little work for the city, and that because of his tardiness much of the sub-improvement work which had been outlined for this year could not be gone through with. Accordingly City Attorney Keller was instructed to take the matter up with Mr. Egan and attempt to arrive at a fair settlement of the claim.

Bill from Hospital.
Another bill against the city which did not meet the approval of the commissioners and which they refused to pay, was from the Katherine Shaw Beetha hospital for the care of young George Dempsey, who suffered a broken leg when a horse which he was riding slipped and fell on the pavement on First street, falling on the boy. The bill was for \$70.75, and the commissioners were given to understand that Dempsey contemplated bringing suit against the city unless the bill was paid. The councilmen, however, refused to be hasty in the matter and the bill was tabled, pending an investigation of the matter by the city attorney.

City's Prosecution.

After the regular business had been attended to Mr. Keller called the council's attention to the three suits instituted and prosecuted against the keepers of houses of ill-fame, which cases resulted in one woman pleading guilty and paying her fine; another was proven guilty, but has evaded service of the mittimus and the third defendant has appealed to the circuit court.

Before Mr. Keller could finish his statement, however, he was interrupted by Commissioner Gannon, who informed the councilmen that it was not the fault of the police department that Mrs. Scott, the woman who has evaded service, was not in jail before the present. "The police couldn't get the papers," said the commissioner, "because Constable Steel didn't want to lose the fees for arresting her." The mayor said he was satisfied that she had left the city, but Mr. Keller wanted to know what position that would put him in when he goes into the circuit court to prosecute Jacob Mayer, who appealed after being convicted by a jury in Justice Hananen's court.

WILL PAY CITY BILLS.

City Clerk Blake Grover this morning announced that the vouchers for the payment of bills against the city for the month of August were ready and that all persons to whom the city is indebted can get their money by calling at his office. He is desirous that applications for the money be made at once to facilitate the work of getting out the monthly report.

JUDGE DUNNE IN AMBOY.

Judge E. F. Dunne, democratic candidate for governor, will be a guest at the Lee county fair Thursday, Sept. 19, and the members of the county central committee today accepted an invitation to attend and greet Mr. Dunne.

After considerable discussion, during which Commissioner Schuler expressed his deep seated disgust that the council has had to "monkey around with Brooks," the commissioners urged Mr. Keller to proceed in the matter in any way he sees fit.

No Action on Fine.

The matter of the two city witnesses who were arrested and arraigned in Justice Shantz's court was then brought up and City Attorney Keller told the council it would be useless to appeal the case, as the boys had entered a plea of guilty and that undoubtedly the best way would be for the boys to pay the fine.

"There's no doubt," said Mr. Keller, "that Brooks was unfair in the proposition, but he has covered his tracks pretty well, and the fines will have to be paid." Commissioner Van Bibber moved that the city pay the fines, but the matter was deferred until the next meeting.

The meeting closed with Commissioner Schuler protesting against the city "laying down in these cases," and his statement that if the city couldn't do anything in the matter, "he would personally."

LAID CORNER STONE AT HARMON TODAY

BUILDING THAT WILL REPLACE ST. FLANNEN'S CHURCH IS STARTED.

MANY HUNDREDS IN ATTENDANCE

Bishop Muldoon Delivered the Main Address—Banquet Followed—New Church to Be Fine One.

Harmon, Sept. 4.—Special to Telegraph.—The corner stone of the new St. Flannen's church, being erected in Harmon to replace the one destroyed by fire on the morning of last Christmas day, was laid today with great ceremony and the event was turned into a holiday.

About 1,000 people witnessed the ceremonies and later attended the banquet in Woodman hall, where Father Thomas Smith entertained several brother priests as well as hundreds of friends and parishioners.

Bishop Muldoon, who delivered the address of the day, being the guest of honor.

Bishop Muldoon's address was a masterly one and was greatly enjoyed. Catholic priests who were present were Father Foley, Dixon; Father Considine, Dixon; Father Flynn of Ohio; Father Clancy, Fulton; Father Defour, Tampico; Father Conway, Woodstock; Father Burns, Sterling; Father Quinlisk, Oregon; Father De Seley of Durand and Father Moore of Morrison. The services were over at 11:30, beginning at 10 o'clock, and the banquet was served soon afterward.

The new church, which will cost about \$20,000 is to be situated about 200 feet east of the old site. It is 83x45 feet outside measurements and will seat 300 people. There will be a gallery in the rear, 40x13 feet, for the choir. The interior finishing will be yellow pine with oil finish. The outside walls will be of pressed brick with Bedford stone trimmings. The building will be surmounted with a steeple 70 feet high. The church will be a credit to Harmon when it is finished.

GLESSNER BROTHERS PURCHASE STORE

O. A. Glessner and Leroy C. Glessner have purchased the interest of the Fred C. Glessner estate at Eldena, which consists of a large implement and hardware stock, and will hereafter conduct the same in the name of Glessner Bros. O. A. Glessner will remain with the Pratt Stock Food company, for which he is the western manager and Leroy Glessner will conduct the business, which has grown to a large volume in the last few years. The line they carry includes hardware, implements, wagons, buggies, harness, gasoline engines, wire, lumber and drain tile. Both these young men are hustlers, and we wish them success.

TEACHERS FOR 1912-13.

Names of new teachers are marked with a star.

W. R. Snyder, superintendent.

High school building:

Anderson, C. H., Principal—Mathematics.

Gaylord, Miss Gladys E.—Mathematics.

*Henderson, Miss Irene—English.

Mertz, Miss Lucile—History.

Eaton, Miss Bertha—Latin and English.

Kramer, Miss Hilda—German and English.

LIBRARY OPEN TILL 9.

The Dixon Public Library will remain open in the evening until nine o'clock, until further notice.

S. DIXON SCHOOLS OPEN NEXT MONDAY

THE SCHEDULES AND OPENING RULES OF SCHOOL FOR PUPILS.

BOUNDARY LINES OF DISTRICTS

List of Teachers Given Among Which Are Four New Names—Pupils Are Given Instructions for the Opening Day.

Opening of schools, distribution of grades, boundary lines and admission of pupils for September, 1912:

OPENING OF SCHOOLS.

Schools in Dixon will open Monday morning, Sept. 9, at 9 o'clock and be in session that day as follows:

High school until 10:45 in the morning; in the afternoon till 3.

Grades, 5, 6, 7 and 8: In the morning till 11; in the afternoon, 2:30.

Grade 4: In the morning till 10:30 and in the afternoon, 3.

Grades 1, 2 and 3: In the morning till 10; in the afternoon, 2:30.

Pupils should come provided with pencils and pencil paper and with such books as those in which they have studied the first part. Such books are used for two years. The spellers, geographies, grammars and arithmetics are examples.

Dealers have the books and books can be bought before Monday, if parents desire to do so.

DISTRIBUTION OF GRADES.

All the grades from 1 to 12 are in the high school building.

Grades 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 and 7 are in the E. C. Smith (Red brick) building.

Grades 1, 2 and 3 are in Truman building.

ADMISSION OF PUPILS.

Pupils should enter school promptly. Promotions made last May are valid only for one month after the schools open.

Children who will be 6 years old before the first of January should enter school Sept. 9.

EXAMINATION TO REMOVE CONDITIONS.

Pupils who have been studying during vacation can take examination for advance standing on Saturday next at 9 o'clock in the high school building.

Boundary Lines.

Between Woodworth and Truman for Grades 1, 2 and 3: On the north Rock river; on the east I. C. tracks to south side of Taird street (both sides of 3rd in Truman); thence on south side of 3rd to center of College to center of 4th; thence on the center of 4th to center of Lincoln; thence on center of Lincoln to city limits. All pupils in Grades 1, 2 and 3 living west and north of this line go to Truman; others to Woodworth.

All 5, 6 and 7 Grade pupils living west of I. C. tracks go to E. C. Smith school; 8th Grade go to high school building.

Boundary Between E. C. Smith and High School.

For Grades 1, 2 and 3: On the east the city limits; thence on the center of Chicago road to center of 7th; thence on center of 7th to west side of Peoria (both sides of Peoria in H. S.); thence on Peoria to Rock river. All 1, 2 and 6 year pupils living north and east of this line belong in H. S. building; others in the Red brick.

All 4, 5, 6 and 8 year pupils living east of I. C. tracks go to H. S. building.

For 7th Grade the dividing line is: On the south the city limits; thence on Walnut (both sides in H. S.) to center of Chicago road; thence on center of Chicago road to west side of 7th (both sides of 7th in H. S.); thence on 7th to center of Peoria; thence on center of Peoria to 4th (both sides of 4th in H. S.); thence on 4th to I. C. tracks; thence to Rock river.

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Social Happenings

AUGUST 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25

May have a fiery temper, but it is soon over. Can be led, but not driven. Strong psychic power; energetic, as spring, have no use for mediocrity. Demonstrative in affection, home loving, social, devoted to family, sometimes pessimistic. Very popular, particularly with those near you socially. Faithful to those you love; you are fond of travel and moving about.

August 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31

Are impulsive, brilliant, intuitive, authoritative; have much natural intelligence. Generally fiery, impatient of control or dictation; are sympathetic, loving, true. Much of reverse and disappointment lies along your path. You love or hate with all your might, and if you are a housewife, you push your physical strength to the limit of endurance, and sometimes beyond.

At Drew Residence

Mr. and Mrs. McKenney of Savannah were guests over Labor day at the James Drew residence.

Miss Catherine Roper will return Wednesday from a visit in Mishawaka, Ind.

Gave Dinner

Miss Bess Camp entertained with a dinner Saturday evening for Mrs. H. E. Finney of San Francisco.

Visited Mrs. Taylor

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hauger and son of Berlin, Pa., who have been guests of Mrs. Hauger's sister, Mrs. Anna Taylor, for a week, have returned home.

At Todd Residence

Kenneth Burgess of Madison, and Russell Carpenter of Racine, spent the week end at the C. A. Todd residence.

Attended Races

Miss N'na DePuy is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Hawley at Elgin, and attended the races Saturday.

Joined Campers

Utley Noble has joined the campers at the H. A. Waite cottage.

Wiley Shippert and sisters, Estelle and Lillian, have gone to Chicago to visit relatives.

Gave Luncheon

Miss Norris entertained at Lowell park lodge for luncheon Monday, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Plummer and Mrs. G. H. Squires.

Band Meeting

There was band rehearsal last evening, which was well attended.

Supervisor F. L. Young and Bert Lindeman of South Dixon, returned Monday from visit in Chicago and at the Elgin races.

At Lindeman Home

Mrs. Charles Horner of Chicago is a guest at the Lindeman home on the Chicago road.

Luncheon at Lodge

Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook, Mrs. H. T. Noble and daughter, Mrs. H. E. Finney, Mrs. Hepper and daughter and the Misses Ward and Nonie and Edna Rosbrook and Jean Hitchcock took luncheon at Lowell park lodge Monday.

At Maplelawn

Misses Helen Tague and Emma Ferry and Charles Duis motored Sunday to Maplelawn, the beautiful country home of Miss Sue Pyle, where they were entertained with a six o'clock dinner.

People are Coming to Us

After they have tried all kinds of treatment and doctors. We do not know everything but



We know one thing well....

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DR. W. F. AYDELOTTTE,

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Farewell Party

Mrs. Fred Breisch and Mrs. Gus Mueller of North Dixon, gave a most appetizing supper Sunday evening at Lowell park for Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kelley and children, Fred Milton and Wilmer, who will soon leave for Philadelphia, Pa., to make their future home. Those present beside the hostesses were Clarence M., Sophy, Martha, Lily and Louise Mueller; Mrs. Daisy E. Walter K., and J. Robert Eyer; and Fred, Paul and May Mueller. The only bright on the pleasure of the occasion was the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Kelley would soon leave their many friends in this city and make their home in Philadelphia, where they will be followed by best wishes for their future happiness.

Surprise Party.

A very pleasant surprise party was held last evening on Miss Margaret Shannon at the home of her uncle, Jesse Shannon, on route 8. Miss Shannon, graduate of the Will school last spring and the party was given by her schoolmates and friends. During the evening games, vocal and instrumental music were enjoyed and a dainty luncheon was served which all enjoyed. Miss Shannon left this morning for Montello, Wis., where she will attend high school and also study vocal music.

Home From Visit

Miss Imo Shulhamer visited Sunday and Monday with friends in Rochelle and Sycamore.

Sunday School Picnic

The primary department of the Lutheran Sunday school will enjoy a picnic at Assembly park Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The children will meet at the church and go over in the car. The mothers of the children are invited to go also.

At the Pines

Sunday the following young people drove to the Pines and enjoyed dinner there—Misses Marguerite Cahill, Neva Phillips, Corinne Eichler, Avis Thompson, Vivian Glessner, and Messrs. George Campbell, John Henke, Lloyd Miller, Sidney Bacharach and Earl Beler.

At Meadowbrook Farm

Misses Ann and Bessie Herwig, Clara Buchman, Robert Ramsdell, Leslie Pankhurst, Wesley Herwig, and Ernest Buchman were entertained Sunday at dinner by Misses Bess and Irene Young at Meadowbrook Farm.

At Lowell Park

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dollmeyer and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Webster Poole and son Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robbins, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Winebrenner enjoyed a picnic dinner at Lowell park Sunday.

At Nachusa House

Mrs. Johnson of Chicago is a guest at the Nachusa house.

Home From Grand Detour

Mrs. Henry T. Noble, son and daughter, and Mrs. Fred Dimick and daughter, have returned from the Colonial Inn, Grand Detour, where Colonial Inn, Grand Detour, where they have been for the past week.

Rogers-Blackburn

Monday evening, at 7 o'clock at St. Patrick's Catholic church in this city, Miss Anna Rogers of Sterling, and Daniel Blackburn of this city, were united in marriage. Father Michael Foley officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Helen Rogers, her sister, and the groom by Mr. Springer. The bride was beautifully attired in white embroidered voile and wore a charming white hat. She carried a prayer book. The bridesmaid wore a beautiful pink silk gown and carried pink roses.

The bride is a handsome and gifted young woman and the groom is a well liked and industrious young man, interested in the livery business here. They will immediately go to housekeeping here. They did not go on a wedding trip.

Among the Sterling guests present at the wedding were—Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Williams, Miss Pearl Hartwig, Mrs. Isaac Wilkinson, Mrs. Geo. Tuber, Mrs. Kate Flynn.

Attended Races

Miss Mabel E. Schrock and Walter Eberly of Franklin Grove attended the road races at Elgin Saturday.

W. R. C. Picnic

The members of the W. R. C. held a picnic this afternoon at Assembly park, with supper at 5 o'clock. All Comrades and Sons of Veterans were cordially invited.

At Gilbert Home

Mrs. Florence Parks and son, Charles G. Parks, and wife spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gilbert.

To Enter Studio

Miss Wilhelmina Seyfarth expects soon to enter Mrs. Collins' studio in Chicago for the purpose of studying fancy dancing.

To Winter in South

Miss Hazel Gravos expects to spend the winter in the south.

Mrs. Oscar Young and daughter,

after a summer's visit in Dixon, have returned to their home in Kenosha.

At Bridge

Miss Camp entertained a few friends at bridge Monday afternoon.

Auxiliary Met

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. held their monthly business meeting this afternoon at 2:30 at the "Y." Important business will be transacted.

Foreign Missionary Society.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church will hold a meeting in the church parlors Thursday afternoon, Sept. 5th, at 2:30. Annual election of officers. All members are requested to bring their mite box money.

In Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Houston of Polo, are sightseeing in the Pike's Peak region. They are staying at the Halcyon in Colorado Springs, and recently called at the Colorado Springs Chamber of Commerce rooms.

Family Reunion.

A family reunion was held yesterday at the hospitable home of Pat Duffy near Eldena and a very enjoyable day was spent by all. A bountiful dinner was served. Following were the guests: Mr. and Mrs. Matt Duffy and daughter Julia, and son James and his wife; Mr. and Mrs. Roberts and Miss Bessie Booth of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook and daughter, Mrs. Hanlon; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cook and family; Mrs. M. Malone and daughter, Mrs. Tim Kinney and her husband and children of Dixon.

Home from Visit.

Mrs. Emma Ford has returned from Sterling, where she has been a guest at the Jake Echternach home. She is a guest of Mrs. Dollmeyer and Mrs. Mitchell. Her home is in Cherokee, Ia.

Entertained Monday.

Misses Myrtle and Grace Judd entertained a few friends Monday afternoon at their home on Crawford avenue.

At Mason Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rhoads, Mr. and Mrs. Kimber Rhoads and little son of Chicago were guests Labor day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mason in Palmyra. The Rhoads family formerly resided in this city, and their many friends were glad to greet them.

At Lowell Park.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dollmeyer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Webster Poole and son Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robbins and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Winebrenner enjoyed a picnic dinner at Lowell park Sunday.

At Nachusa House.

Mrs. Johnson of Chicago is one of the guests at the Nachusa house.

To Morrison.

Mrs. Allen Hutchinson, Mrs. Sophia Dysart and daughter Lelia motored to Morrison today in the Dysart car to attend the fair.

Married Yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Lutheran parsonage Wm. M. Miller of South Dixon and Miss Grace Schrock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Schrock of North Galena avenue, were united in marriage. Rev. F. D. Altman officiating. The couple were unattended. The bride was becomingly attired in a blue trayeling suit with hat and gloves on costume. Mr. and Mrs. Miller left for Chicago, where they will spend a

short vacation. The groom has been with Bert Lindeman of South Dixon on the farm and is an industrious and highly esteemed young man. The bride is a charming young woman with many friends who wish the couple much happiness. They will make their home in South Dixon.

Election of Officers.

The annual election of officers and an important business meeting of the Y. W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will be held at the Hintz studio on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. A large attendance is desired.

Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the church.

Masons to Meet.

Friendship Lodge No. 7, will hold a meeting this evening. All members please respond.

M. W. to Meet.

The Modern Woodmen, camp 56, will hold a meeting tomorrow evening.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois and endorsed, "Proposals for the furnishing of labor and materials for and the construction of a Vitrified Tile Pipe Storm and Sanitary Sewer along the middle line of Galena Avenue from the present manhole in Seventh Street to the middle line of Tenth Street, and thence westerly along the middle line of Tenth Street the distance of 235 feet; with the necessary manholes, storm-water inlets and house-connection laterals from sewer to curb line; as well as a

Relief or Overflow Sewer from the said Seventh Street manhole easterly along the middle line of street said distance of about 185 feet, to discharge into a ravine, through a culvert there built over the said ravine, in the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance Number 127, Series of 1911, of the City of Dixon, will be received by the Secretary of the said Board of Local Improvements at the City Clerk's office in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, until 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon on Monday the 16th day of September, A. D. 1912, and will be publicly opened by the said Board of Local Improvements at a meeting to be held at said City Clerk's office at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon on said day, and at the same time and place said Board of Local Improvements shall in open session examine such proposals as have been delivered to it and publicly declare the same.

The work for which such tenders are invited is the construction of about 1080 feet of 12 inch sewer, about 235 feet of 8 inch sewer, about 654 feet of 6 inch laterals to curb, about 240 feet of 10 inch storm-water inlet pipe, about 300 cubic yards of rock excavation, about 185 feet of 12 inch Relief Sewer, built with "seconds," six (6) bulk heads for said inlets, seven (7) manholes complete, one drop manhole, each three (3) feet internal diameter as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance Number 127, Series of 1911 of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten percent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn upon some responsible bank doing business in said City of Dixon and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such check or cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements.

A bond of Two Thousand (2000) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidder at said City Clerk's office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements. Bonds to draw interest at five per cent. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

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Specifications may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The said Board of Local Improvements reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, September 4th, 1912.

Signed Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon.

By MARK C. KELLER,

Its Attorney.

DEMENTTOWN

P. O. Sullivan has recovered from his indisposition and there is now a possibility that the much talked of ball game between the Saloon Keepers and the N. W. I. C. teams will be pulled off.

However, his indisposition was as nothing compared to that of Little Emmert, the Dixon Star's right fielder who, according to all reports, is never going to tell anyone where he lives, hereafter. He was asked in the most unkind terms at Monroe Saturday evening where he came from, and when he answered his questioner, who was evidently the young lady's steady, threatened to send him back home in a box. Emmert wasn't seen outside the hotel from then until the time to beat it for home.

Gentlemen whose wives are entertaining and who find the party dragging in interest, may follow the example of a Freeport man who, under the conditions outlined above, threw his mother-in-law into the punch bowl. He explained to his wife that he did it to enliven things.

Some Truths Plainly Told.

A. E. Simonson is recovering from a recent attack of the hiccoughs. His many friends will be pleased to learn that he discovered the cure himself and that he will gladly impart his information to suffering friends.

W. E. Worthington and C. H. Johnson squared themselves by taking their respective families to Grand Detour, promptly leaving them after arriving at the Sheffield, to go hunting for "minnows."

John A. Krug has purchased a new shirt to replace the one he inadvertently decorated at the picnic Monday.

W. G. Kent thoroughly inspected the pile of poles near the McAlpine mill Monday evening, but pronounced them unfit for the manufacture of toothpicks. However, should any of our readers care to verify Mr. Kent's statements, they are privileged to inspect the lumber—and while inspecting it they are requested to look for Mr. K.'s hat.

The Militant Suffragists.

Evidently the members of our new society, The Militant Suffragists, whose purpose it is to make the wo-

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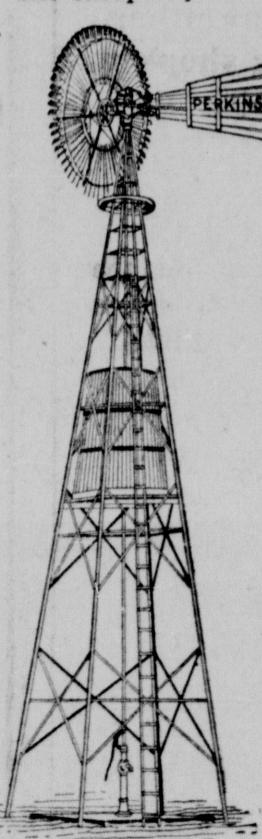
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A MADE TO ORDER BANK BURGLARY

How a Vault and a Reputation Were Shattered by Too Much Dynamite

"The Welldon Community bank, of Welldon, N. Y., was robbed by safe-blowers last night. Nitroglycerin was used to open the bank vault, with disastrous results to one of the robbers, who was blown to pieces by the explosion. His confederates successfully looted the bank and obtained \$5,000 in cash."

This little item carried by the various New York papers was the genesis of my connection with the great Welldon Community bank robbery. A few hours after the papers carrying the news were on the street I was on my way to Welldon, ordered by the Burns agency to investigate the case as a representative of the National Bankers' Protective association.

As the reader probably is not familiar with the Welldon community it is necessary to delay my story a trifle in order that the situation may be made more clear. This community is one of several of the sort that may be found in southern New York and northern Pennsylvania. It was founded about 1840 by an Englishman named Welldon, who was in his own way a seeker after a modern Utopia. Welldon believed that our whole system of living in cities, crowded and uncomfortable, or in country districts, isolated and lonesome, was all wrong. He believed that the small community, fifty families, for instance, gathered around a common center, and yet not gathered so closely together as to make an actual town, was the ideal, as well as the practical way, for mankind to dwell. He had made something of a fortune in the mill business in England. Unable to put into practice in that country his novel idea, he came to America and, after considerable searching, fixed upon the rich farming valley in southern New York as the spot most favorable for the location of the Welldon community. There he brought together about thirty families, bringing most of them from his native land, England. He established a cooperative store, a blacksmith shop, a school, a church, a mill, in fact, everything needed to supply the welfare of an agricultural community—including the Welldon Community bank. This bank, while it was owned and patronized mainly by the people of the community, was chartered and managed as any small country bank would be. Welldon had conducted its affairs himself at first. At his death it had passed to his son so far as management was concerned, though the title remained in the community. Welldon's son had continued the banking business as successfully as his father had done before him, and the bank was as prosperous and sound as a small bank possibly could be. It had never become a power, but on the other hand, it had never been in trouble once during its whole existence.

"A big charge," I said; "a desperate big charge. They must have wanted to make sure of blowing her open and didn't fear to make a noise. Please leave everything just as it is and let us step across and look at the man who got caught in the explosion."

We—Mr. Giles, the directors and myself—went over to the undertaking shop where the dead bandit lay. I had hoped to recognize him as some listed yeggman, though my acquaintance with that class was limited; but I was disappointed. His face had been blown so thoroughly to pieces in the explosion that it was impossible for anyone not familiar with his smallest characteristics to make out who he might have been. He was dressed a little better than the average yeggman, for there was the remnant of a clean cuff on one of his wrists, but this was all that I could make out in a cursory examination.

"I'll be back later," I told the man in charge. Then I told Giles that I would like to hear the whole story of the affair.

He led the way back to his office in the bank building and told the story in a careful, intelligent way. There was nothing remarkable in the story. He had been called down to the bank at 6:30 that morning by a workingman who, while passing to his work, had seen that the front door of the bank building was unlocked. He had gone in at once, in company with the workman. He had found the door between the banking room and the vault room locked, as usual. He had opened the door and had found the dead burglar and the looted safe, much as we had seen the room. Eighty-five thousand dollars in large bank notes had been taken. Some hundreds of dollars' worth of smaller bills and about a thousand dollars' worth of silver had not been touched. Nobody had been found who had heard the explosion, and there was absolutely no trace of the robbers.

That was Giles' story. It was told in precise, clerical fashion, greatly in contrast to the story of the sheriff, who, when he was called in, rambled about bloodhounds and posses and made a fool of himself trying to appear "wise" before a city detective.

"You locked up the vault last night, did you, Mr. Giles?" I asked.

"Yes sir," he answered.

"And this money was all in there when you locked it up?"

"Yes, of course."

I thanked him and said: "Now will you kindly let me go over the vault again alone? I must study it carefully in order to make out an intelligent report."

He acquiesced readily and I went in the room and shut myself in with the shattered vault.

I had been impressed with my first glance by the apparently enormous charge of explosive that had been used in the robbery. So terrible had the wreckage been that it seemed impossible to me that any living man could have been in that room and survived after the "soup" had scattered the fragments of that door around. The room was so narrow that it must have been like standing before a mortar loaded with scrap iron. The horse blankets were torn to shreds. I said to myself: "A bungler's job," and went out and telephoned for an expert on explosives, for the expert of the firm that made the safe, and for Durango and Mahaffey, two of our men who knew most of the big yeggs in the country by sight. I locked and sealed the vault room, so it could not be tampered with.

I went to the bank first and my card

let me in past the sheriff's deputy. I

was received by Mr. Giles, the president of the bank, and the board of directors, who were assembled in the banking room. They were glad to see me. This was something altogether

When Mahaffey came he took one look at the dead yegg, lifted his hands and examined the back of them and found some tattoo marks and said: "Sailor Benny, as I'm alive! How did he ever get so far from Omaha? And how did he ever put in too much soup? He was the prince of them all in knowing just how much it took to loosen a door. By glory! Cornell, there's something queer about this Benny never overloaded in his life."

The dynamite expert and the safe man came in on the next train and the three of us entered the vault room of the bank together. The dynamite man took one look around and said: "Shut the door."

The safe man obeyed and, to make sure, I hung my coat over the keyhole.

"My gad!" said the safe man, almost crying. "It isn't possible. No safe of ours could be blown up in that fashion. Say, nobody ever could blow one of our safes up in that fashion—not even one of these old ones."

"Yes," said the dynamite man, "I've done it myself."

"How?"

"On a test," said the other. "By loading the safe on the inside and then locking the door."

We looked at one another.

"That is what was done here, isn't it?" I said.

"Absolutely," said the dynamite man.

I sent for Mahaffey and told him what had been said.

"Then the job never was of Sailor Benny's doing," said he instantly. "Good gad, man! The load must have been put in by the man who locked the door. And then how did Benny come to be killed cracking the door?"

The dynamite man and the safe man prepared to withdraw.

"I guess the case is all up to you, Mr. Cornell," they said. "It looks like work for a 'tec."

They went away and Mahaffey and I sat down to theorize behind the locked door.

"Cornell," said Mahaffey, "there is this about this job: Somebody had

"She's a bad case, Cornell," he said. "Yes," I said, "because the man who put that soup in there to go off when Benny came must have had something to hide, and this was the way he took to hide it. Mahaffey," I said, suddenly, "you and Durango both know all about Benny's old haunts out in Omaha. Better run out there right away and see if you can find why Benny came east."

"Ye-es," said he, slowly. "That's about the way she will work out. Why did Benny come east? Who got him to come? That's the question that's to be answered. Durango stars in that piece; he used to work in Omaha and knows Benny's girl."

When we came out of the vault room I said to the president:

"Well, Mr. Giles, we have done all about we can do here. What we've got to do now is to try to look for this dead robber's confederate, the man who got the money. We will do our best, but I assure you it will be a hard task to find him."

"I fear so, Mr. Cornell," said Giles.

"But you people are very capable, I understand."

"We never have fallen down on a case yet," I said as we left him.

I suspect that Durango at one time or another had been on the other side of the fence, for his knowledge of criminals, their hang-outs, their manners and their associates in this country was something too intimate to have been picked up as a detective. Durango could at any time go to any city in the country, go straight to the criminal quarter and be accepted as one of the bunch without the slightest suspicion. This was his sole qualification as a detective, however, so he was valuable only at infrequent intervals. In this case he was, as Mahaffey put it, the star. The pair of them blew into Omaha on the beams of a box car, attired in proper hobo clothing. They went to a saloon kept by an ex-convict near the stock yards—a crooks' nest—and within a few hours they were associating with some of Durango's old friends in a back room

arrest for robbing the Welldon Community bank of \$85,000."

"Great Scott!" he said. "Do you know what you are talking about? Are you crazy?"

"I hope not," I said. "Let me tell you what I have discovered since I came to Welldon: I discovered that you have been an inveterate Wall street gambler for the last ten years. It wasn't hard to do that; the brokers keep a list of every out-of-town trader they do business with. You had been trading under the name of Travers, but your broker knew who you were. He had looked you up. You were fairly lucky for an outsider until last June. Then your losses began to pile up steadily. A month ago you owed \$85,000, and had to make it good or be exposed. You did make it good—out of that vault back there."

"You hoped to cover that loan you made yourself so that nobody ever would be the wiser for it. You hoped to put it back; they all do. But, like most of them in the same fix, you found that you couldn't do it. Then you began to look around for some means of covering up your crime. In your dilemma you thought of a certain man who had left this town as a boy, who had gone to the bad, and whom you had helped—I give you credit for a good heart, Giles—at various intervals when he needed it. You thought of him. You got him to come here. You told him what you wanted done; you wanted the safe blown and robbed. You promised that you would give him half of the big sum that you said was inside—and which should have been inside."

"But you knew you were playing with fire in taking this criminal, in as your confederate in so dastardly a crime as robbing your own bank. You needed to have that safe blown to have it appear that the bank had been looted of \$85,000—but you couldn't afford to let a criminal live and know your secret. So you loaded that vault before you locked it the evening before the robbery. You did that—only you could have done it—because you



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He was in on it before Sailor Benny got to it. Somebody had stuck a load in there back of that door, and whoever it was must have been the man who closed the vault and fixed the combination. Then Benny comes along with his pal and gets busy. Benny puts in his little charge, just a little soup poured in the cracks to loosen that old door. His pal is in the other room, doing lookout. Benny turns loose his charge—and, bang! goes the big one that's inside. Naturally Benny is knocked stiff. His pal comes in, sees what has happened, gets the money and beats it in a hurry. Isn't that the way you size it up?"

"Not quite," I said. "Why did that big load happen to be on the inside the night that Benny came to blow the crib? Didn't the man who put it there know that Benny was coming?"

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From Corinto to Managua
—More Marines Arrive.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Gen. W. S. Schuyler, commanding in Texas, reported to the war department that the situation along the Mexican border is critical. Americans at Cananea are said to be in danger from Mexican rebels and are without sufficient arms and ammunition.

Two cowboys, Oscar Sims and Roy Adams, employed on the Wards ranch, owned by the Cananea cattle company, fifteen miles south of Naco, Sonora county, are missing following a raid by rebels on the ranch and an attack on the cowboys.

Troops Chased Across Border.

About 500 federal troops rushed across the border at El Paso and Presidio to escape pursuit from General Orozco's forces.

The raids on American owned ranches are being led by General Campa and are general throughout northern Mexico. The rebels took seventy horses from the Cananea cattle company. Besides this, Campa's men are said to have taken horses and provisions from the ranches at Mahabi, situated twenty miles west of Yzabel, owned by J. T. Paxton.

The San Pedro ranch is also reported to have been raided, the property loss being estimated at some \$5,000.

Telegraphic communication between Nogales and Cananea was interrupted, Campa having burned ten bridges and cut all wires between these points. Apparently the federal forces at Nogales made no attempt to follow Campa. The state of Tabasco is said to be absolutely peaceful. Telegraphic communication with El Tigre from Douglas has been restored.

Corinto-Managua Lines Open.

Washington, Sept. 4.—With advices from Admiral Southerland, at Corinto, Nicaragua, received that the railroad line has been opened from Corinto to Managua, the state department feels far less concerned for the safety of American and other foreign residents located in the interior.

With the arrival of 780 additional marines at Corinto there are about 1,200 marines and bluejackets in Nicaragua. The fresh detachment was rushed to Managua under command of Colonel Pendleton, and will be used to clear up and operate the railroad from Managua to Grenada.

FIRE SWEEPS BIG PARK

Eight Killed and \$2,500,000
Loss Follows Flames.Five Thousand Homeless When Big
Amusement Resort at Los Angeles
Is Wiped Out.

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 4.—Five thousand people were made homeless in Santa Monica as the result of a fire which originated in the kitchen of the Casino cafe and burned uncontrollable until nearly nine. The loss is estimated at \$2,500,000.

Six solid blocks of cottages and apartment houses, crowded with summer visitors, were destroyed.

The famous Frazer's Million Dollar pier, with all its concession buildings, was totally destroyed, except for the concrete piling of the pier itself.

The Decatur hotel, famed to all who have traveled to the Pacific coast in the last ten years, was leveled, along with the long string of small business houses along the "Pike" and the bathhouse, one of the finest and largest on the coast, rests in its own ashes.

One Japanese is known to be dead. He jumped into the ocean while trying to escape from the blazing pier, and was drowned. Seven other Japanese are reported to have lost their lives in the holocaust.

Scenes of wildest confusion followed the rapid spread of the flames. Summer pleasure-seekers who have thronged the beach cities all the summer fled into the streets in panic from their evening meal. The streets were soon thronged with men and women carrying trunks, and things of value, fleeing to places of safety.

Sometimes Expensive Materials Are
Not a Necessity or Even of the
Best Worth,

The girl whose skilled fingers add the dainty touches to her wardrobe, instead of paying for them ready made, may find the experience of a sister needle woman valuable in preventing a bad mistake. An ambitious little maiden had just purchased some handsome plain cream silk net for a guimpe with sleeves and was turning away to seek the counter where chiffon for lining it could be purchased when a friend at her elbow remarked:

"Why don't you just use plain cream colored cotton net of a fine quality for the lining? My dressmaker advised it, and it gives a much more lacy effect."

No sooner said than done. The cotton net was purchased and carried home, and was cut out exactly the same as was the silk net. The guimpe was an entire success, so far as appearance went. It fitted well, and had a very good effect with the costume of cream colored cloth. But it had not been worn three times when its owner saw, with dismay, that the edges of the silk net, at arm's eye, at elbow, and where it joined the collar, were fraying out, inch lengths of the heavy silk thread standing out from the goods in every direction, though she had allowed ample at the seams to prevent any such thing.

On examining it, she discovered that while the silk net is firmly woven, and will not stretch perceptibly, net of cotton is quite the opposite in weave, and stretches decidedly. It had stretched, in this case, putting all the strain on the silk net, which had yielded "all along the line." It had to be darned down on the cotton net, with sewing silk, and little tucks had to be taken in the cotton net to keep even that darning from giving out.

HAVE THE MEAL IN THE OPEN

For Warm Weather Nothing Is More
Enjoyable, and It May Be Made
Most Pleasant.

The alfresco meal in summer is the joy of the modern enthusiast of fresh air, and hostesses with tree-shaded gardens, are often searching for some novel way of entertaining their guests out of doors. An effective luncheon or dinner may be arranged beneath a tree by the simple method of building a circular shelf around the trunk, which will serve as a table.

Chinese lanterns and appropriate lamps may decorate the tree. Miniature baskets containing flowers can be suspended from the tree, and each guest who is asked to take one of these flowers will find a corresponding bloom.

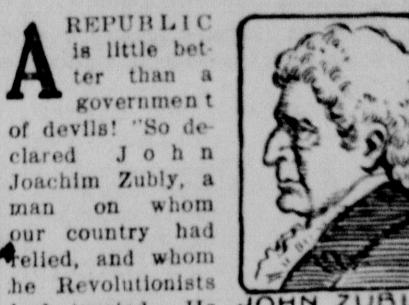
If the meal is to be a cold lunch, the hanging baskets can be filled with appetizing sandwiches, stuffed eggs, and other delicacies. Little baskets of strawberries with sugar and cream should be found at each place, and each individual hostess will use her ingenuity to devise some novelty in serving the food she offers to her guests.

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The Press Publishing Co. (The New York World)John Zubly, the American Patriot
Who Turned Traitor

REPUBLIC is little better than a government of devils! "So declared John Joachim Zubly, a man on whom our country had relied, and whom he Revolutionists had trusted. He JOHN ZUBLY was a patriot who suddenly turned traitor at a time when America and liberty needed every true man's aid.

The colonies had long groaned under British oppression. When they rose against England, in 1775, it was less with an idea of breaking loose from the mother country than of showing resentment by force of arms where argument and appeal had failed. They simply wished to bring England to her senses and to obtain relief from injustice. Even George Washington in later years confessed: "The idea of independence was at first abhorrent to me."

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It was to discuss this that the continental congress met at Philadelphia in 1776.

We are apt to think that congress was a collection of ardent patriots, panting for liberty at any price. This was not wholly true. While the majority of the delegates were firm in their resolve to declare for independence, several of them threatened to balk at so rash a step.

Nor can they be severely blamed for hesitating. They were men of property and importance. They had more to lose than had most Americans. Should the Revolution fail their goods would doubtless be seized by the British government and they themselves would be hanged. As Benjamin Franklin said, in grim jest:

"We must hang together or we'll hang separately."

To their eternal credit, these wary delegates at last yielded to the popular voice. The Declaration of Independence was drawn up, and on July 4, 1776, was adopted (although it was not signed until the next month). The grave step was taken.

The congressmen stood committed. They had "crossed the Rubicon" and were ready to take the consequences.

There was one exception to this band of patriots. He was John Joachim Zubly, a Swiss, who had emigrated to America in early life and had settled in Georgia. Zubly was not only prominent as a scholar and a statesman, but was a preacher as well. He had shown great indignation at the colonists' wrongs and had both written and spoken in protest against tyranny.

So patriotic was he that Georgia chose him as one of its five delegates to congress in 1775. There he worked hard for the people's cause and even drew up a petition to King George III. "Upon the present unhappy situation of affairs." Altogether, he was looked upon as an ardent patriot. Indeed, it is hard to understand the sudden and terrible change in the man.

As soon as Zubly found congress was determined to adopt the Declaration, he fought the proposition most bitterly and utterly refused any part in it. He denounced the idea of a republic and did everything in his power to stem the tide of opinion. Had this been all he did no great shame need to have been attached to him. But he was not content with refusing to vote for the Declaration. He actually entered into secret correspondence with the enemy, betraying to the British the patriots' private plans and giving warning that the Declaration was about to be adopted. What further harm he might have done the cause of liberty cannot be guessed, for a fellow congressman (Samuel Chase of Maryland) found reason to suspect him. A treasonable letter from Zubly was intercepted. Chase exposed the man's whole black treachery to congress.

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SIMPLE LETTER RACK

MOST USEFUL CONTRIVANCE TO
HAVE IN HALL.Properly Arranged, It Shows at a
Glance Just What the Obligations
of Correspondence Are and
How to Meet Them.

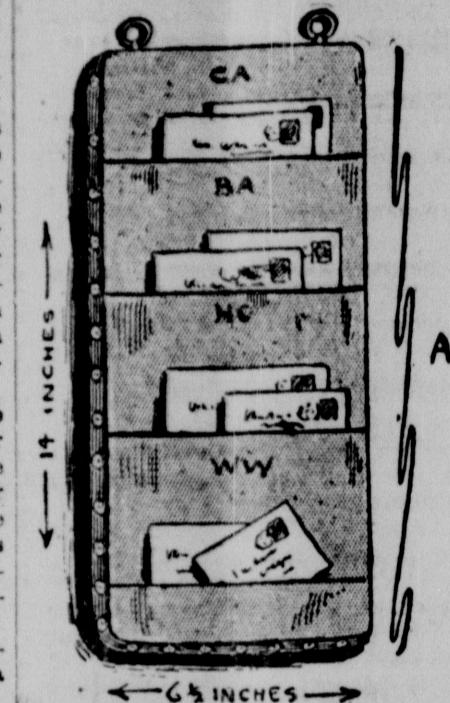
Our sketch shows a simple, neat and easily made letter rack for the hall. For the foundation a piece of board about 14 inches in length, six and a half inches in width, and half an inch in thickness must be procured, and the corners rounded with a sharp knife.

This board is then covered with silk or any other suitable material, folded in plait, so that it forms a series of pockets, turned over the edges and tacked down securely at the back.

Diagram A at the right hand side of the sketch shows a section of the material and indicates the manner in



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The final reduction price on all Summer Dresses, Skirts, Waists, Suits and Coats is but a small part of the original cost—we have some exceptional bargains in dresses for \$1.50, 2.29 & 3.98

Muslin underwear and children's dresses at very low prices.

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OUR SALE OF REMNANTS OF SUMMER STUFFS
CONTINUES; do not fail to secure a part of these.

A. L. Geisenheimer

Urgent Need of Shipping World.

Marvelous.

The Grouch.
'Tis now the grouch with snoring air
Decries the day because it's fair;
And snarling at the cooling blast,
Grows 'neath his breath, "It cannot last!"

Not Suited.
I am afraid your friend will not
care for a glass of water here."
"Why not, since he is thirsty?"
"Because this is soft water, and I
understand he is a hard drinker."

A Preference.
"Mrs. Stoughton says she always
sleeps on her front porch."
"Does she? I prefer my right
side."

STOMACH SOUR? GOT INDIGESTION ALSO

"PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN" WILL MAKE YOUR DISORDERED STOMACH FEEL FINE IN FIVE MINUTES—TIME IT!

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach headache—this is indigestion.

A full case of Pape's Diapepsin costs only fifty cents and will thoroughly cure your out-of-order stomach, and leave sufficient about the house in case some one else in the family may suffer from stomach trouble or indigestion.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula plainly printed on these fifty-cent cases, then you will understand why dyspeptic troubles of all kinds must go, and why they usually relieve sour, out-of-order stomachs or indigestion in five minutes. Diapepsin is harmless and tastes like candy, though each dose contains power sufficient to digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat; besides, it makes you go to the table with a healthy appetite; but, what will please you most, is that you will feel that your stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for biliousness or constipation.

This city will have many Diapepsin cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be cranky about this splendid stomach preparation, too, if you ever try a little for indigestion or any other stomach misery.

Get some now, this minute, and forever rid yourself of stomach trouble and indigestion.

Lee Dysart of Nachusa was here today.

Frank Downing left last evening for a business visit in South Dakota.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed, proposals for the furnishing of labor and materials for, and the construction of concrete curb where now lacking or in need of alteration, and of macadam street pavement, macadam drive-way approaches and the construction and adjustment of all necessary manholes and catch-basins,—all properly connected with intersecting streets, avenues and alleys,—

On North Ottawa Avenue from the north line of East Boyd Street (produced), to a line 500 feet north of the north line of East Bradshaw Street (produced), and

On East McKinney street from the west line of North Crawford Avenue (produced), to the east line of North Galena Avenue (produced), in the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance Number 132, Series of 1912, of the City of Dixon, will be received by the Secretary of said Board of Local Improvements at the City Clerk's office in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, until 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, the 16th day of September, A. D. 1912, and will be publicly opened by the said Board of Local Improvements at a meeting to be held at said City Clerk's office at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon on said day, and at the same time and place said Board of Local Improvements shall in open session examine such proposals as have been delivered to it and publicly declare the same.

The work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 2700 lineal feet of concrete curb, about 3050 cubic yards of excavation grading and preparing sub-grade, about 15,700 square yards of macadam pavement, Twenty-five (25) concrete bumpers and Two (2) catch-basins, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance Number 132, Series of 1912, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten

per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn upon some responsible bank doing business in said City of Dixon and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such check or cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within Fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements.

A bond of Nine Thousand (\$9000) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidder at said City Clerk's office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board Bonds to draw interest at five per centum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Specifications may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date. The said Board of Local Improvements reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, September 4th, 1912.

Signed Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon,
By MARK C. KELLER,
Its Attorney.

2082

SUES THE WESTERN UNION COMPANY

W. H. GODFREY BRINGS SUIT IN DIXON FOR ALLEGED CARELESSNESS.

Through his attorney, Harry Edwards, W. H. Godfrey of this city has started suit in the circuit court against the Western Union Telegraph company asking \$500 for the alleged carelessness of the company, through its agents, in delivering a message. Mr. Godfrey states in his bill that on July 2 he sent a message to F. Fanning at Barrington, Ill., the message being worded: "Wire quick if everything ready. Leave Wednesday morning."

He further alleges that when the message was delivered to Mr. Fanning it purported to have been sent from Belvidere instead of Dixon; and that Mr. Fanning answered to Belvidere and that on July 4 he appeared at Belvidere with his theatrical company. The plaintiff claims that he was forced to pay Mr. Fanning \$500 and that his loss of receipts, etc., caused him a loss of \$500.

Dramatic Notes

KINDLING TONIGHT.

The Sarah Padden company, which presents "Kindling" at the Dixon opera house tonight, arrived this morning from Bloomington and are stopping at the Nachusa House. This piece was presented all last season at the Cort theatre, Chicago, by Margaret Illington and was one of the successes of the year. Miss Padden, who appeared here in The Third Degree, is a very capable artist and our theatre-goers have a treat in store for this evening.

FAMILY THEATRE

Manager Michelstetter has had an opportunity to secure an exceptional singing number as an added attraction for this week, commencing Sept. 5, and will present in addition to his regular program, The Male Melba, (Bob Albright) late star of Dockstader's minstrels. Mr. Albright, has just returned from a tour of the Great Pantages Circuit of western theatres, and as a special favor to Mr. Michelstetter, will place his spleen did act at the cozy Family theatre for the last four days of the week. Do not fail to see this wonderful man, who is styled all over the country as the Fritz Emmett of Vaudeville.

THE STORY OF "KINDLING."

"Kindling," the great popular success in which Sarah Padden is to appear at the opera house tonight, presents the child problem in a new form.

Maggie Schultz, the heroine of the story, has been told by her husband that it would be a crime for persons living in the slums, where they made their home, to bring children into the world, and that if they had a child he would rather kill it than have it reared in such surroundings.

Maggie's dilemma is between this belief of her husband and her own mother instinct, and she plans to induce him to move west. At this juncture there is a strike and her husband is without work. Employment in the family of a wealthy tenement worker is offered Maggie and she accepts, because it will give her an opportunity to steal enough to take them both to the new home where children may be born and reared.

With the aid of a confederate she brings about the robbery and obtains the necessary money, but she is suspected, watched and finally accused of theft. When her husband learns what she did, and that the reason was the outgrowth of his own opposition to children, he tries to take the blame for the robbery and go to jail in Maggie's stead. This turns out to be unnecessary, because the persons robbed forgive the young wife and provides them with funds to go to a new home in Wyoming. The story has an unusually happy and satisfactory ending.

MANY ENJOYED THE PROGRESSIVE MEETING

The progressive meeting at the town hall in Nachusa last evening was well attended and was interesting to many of those present. Addresses were made by Attorneys John E. Erwin and E. E. Winger and short talks were also made by James W. Watts, Charles Self, L. E. Edwards and H. L. Fordham.

Dr. Wersley and son Raymond are camping near Blue Rock for a few days.

City In Brief

Miss Wilhelmina Seyfarth has returned from a visit in Chicago.

Robert Hollenberg, editor of the Mendota Bulletin, attended the Elks' barbecue.

Dr. Z. W. Moss was in Chicago Sunday.

Miss McKenna will leave Wednesday for St. Clara's school for girls at Sinsinawa, Wis.

Misses Margaret and Gertrude Arnold of St. Louis returned Monday from a visit to Bureau county, while their mother, Mrs. Francis L. Arnold, was a patient at the hospital.

Miss Agnes McCarroll who has for many years been the accommodating bookkeeper for Valle & O'Malley, clothier, has assumed a like position with the O. H. Martin Dry Goods Store. She leaves her former place with regret followed by the goodwill of the firm, and will make as many friends in the new store. Ever courteous, most obliging, and with engaging personality, Miss McCarroll is an acquisition with any firm.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hansen returned to Chicago Monday evening after spending a few days with their uncle, Hans Hansen, north of town.

R. W. Sprout has gone to Rockchelle.

J. A. Mecerole and son Russell of Mineral Point, Wis., are registered at the Nachusa House. Mr. Mecerole is a former Dixon boy with hosts of old friends, who are pleased to greet him after an absence of several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oddy and daughter, Catherine, left Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Oddy's mother, Mrs. Dickey, of Havrelock, Ia.

C. B. Morrison was here from Chicago for a week end visit.

T. W. Swartz will leave this evening for Grand Forks, N. D., for several weeks, on business.

Miss Wilhelmina Seyfarth has returned from a visit in Chicago.

Clinton Judd has returned from a business visit in Michigan.

Ernest Freadhoff of Sterling was here Tuesday.

Mesdames Mary and Elizabeth Moyer returned today from South Bend, Ind., where they have been visiting.

Charles Whippner has returned to Milledgeville, where he has a man contract.

T. J. Winders, editor of the Malta Record, was an over Sunday guest of his friend, J. W. Bushy and family, East McKinney street.

R. C. Shelhamer has gone to Auburn, Neb., to aid his uncle, John Swan, who is well known here, to harvest 260 acres of apples.

Lloyd Berger and wife left yesterday for an auto trip to Evanston, Minn., to visit a couple of weeks with their son, Clinton E., and to be in attendance at the Minnesota state fair, at Minneapolis.

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Give her a little saving account and let her learn to do business with the bank

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Are Now fully equipped, and we are prepared to put your Order Thru Promptly.

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Retreading—Auto tires made practically as good as new. Vulcanizing by Steam—The best metho dyet devised. Repair quickly all blowouts on casing and inner tubes. In short we do everything that needs to be done to an Automobile Tire to keep it working. Have the best equipped shop in these parts and are prepared to turn out work promptly and stand back of it. New Casings and Tubes, Rubber Cement and Patches kept in stock.

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ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th
WE WILL PLACE ON SALE
1000 Pairs of Ladies' Fine Sample Shoes at
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90 per cent of these shoes are warranted to be Goodyear welt and made to be sold at \$3.50 to 7.00 per pair.

Saturday, Sept. 7, One Day Only, as long as they last at \$2.49 Per Pair

These sample shoes were made by one of the best manufacturers of ladies' shoes in this country and were used to exhibit to merchant by the salesmen and are made better in every way than stock shoes. LADIES DON'T FORGET THE DAY, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th.

Henry's Exclusive Shoe Store



CHAPTER IX.

Waiting for Dawn.

Cayley wheeled so that he headed up into the wind and dropped, facing the girl and with his back to her, retreating assailant. He had to drop almost vertically in order to avoid being blown out into the sea after he struck the ice. Even as it was, he went slithering down the glassy slope toward the water, and only managed to check his impetus by throwing himself flat on his face and clutching at a hummock which chanced to offer him a precarious hold. He had come down "all adrift" as sailors say, and his monstrous wings, powerless for flight but instinct with flapping perversity, cost him a momentary struggle while he was getting them bundled into controllable shape.

But, thanks as much to luck as to skill, he presently found himself upon his feet uninjured. He at once set out, making what haste he could, across the ice toward where he had last seen the girl, shouting up the gale to her at the same time, to know if she were safe. He heard no answer, but presently made her out, dimly, only a pace or two away. His first act then, even before speaking, was to take out his pocket electric bull's-eye and turn it full upon her.

"It's just to make sure you're not hurt—that I really got down here in time," he apologized. "I wish I might have saved you the terror, but it wasn't until you cried out that I knew."

"I'm not hurt," she assured him. "I'm a little dazed, that's all—No, not with fright, with wonder. I hardly had time to be frightened. But I thought you'd gone this morning, that you had abandoned us just as you said you would. And yet, when I cried out just now, for help, it was you that I called to."

And then you came, out of the sky, just as I was sure you would. For I was certain, with the same certainty one has in dreams. Now, that it's over, I find myself wondering again if you are real. I'm not hurt at all."

Before he could find anything to say in answer, they heard another shot, muffed in the fog, from the direction of the Aurora, and in prompt reply to another volley.

"Wasn't there firing before?" she asked. "Can any one be attacking the yacht? There is no one there but Tom, you know, and he's disabled—Can't we—can't I, get out there any way? The boat I came ashore in is right here."

Without making her any answer, he carried the unwieldy bundle his wings made into the hut and left it there; then returned to her and offered her his hand.

"We'll go down and look for your boat," he said.

Along the water's edge they searched, aided by the little beam from his bull's-eye, the sound of intermittent firing from the yacht urging haste all the while. But it did not take long to force the conviction upon them that the boat was gone. Blown adrift, most likely, was Cayley's explanation.

He felt her trembling. Whether with cold or dread, he did not know, but he took her arm and steadied her with the pressure of his own.

"Come back to the hut," he said. "The situation isn't as bad as you think. I'll tell you when we get to shelter where we can talk."

She turned obediently, and breasted the icy slope with him. Neither spoke again until they were safe in the lee of the hut. Then he said:

"I don't think Fanshaw is alone there on the yacht. The relief party and the first party from the Aurora got together some time this afternoon and started back toward the shore. They should be aboard the yacht by now, though when the fog fell it put an end to my activities. The Walrus people have undoubtedly attacked them, but they shouldn't have any trouble in beating them off. They outnumber them and they are better armed; in fact, so far as I know, the Walrus people aren't armed at all. They knew—your people I mean—that the yacht was likely to be attacked. I told them so myself, and then their pretended guide confessed."

"How did you know about the Walrus?" she asked curiously.

"The Portuguese was one of them; he had guided your first party down into a little valley of perpetual fog, under orders to abandon them there. When he saw me sailing about overhead—through the fog, you know—he broke down and confessed and then—well, he made a clean breast of it. He knew nothing of the details of his leader's plans; but the mere fact that he had been delegated to guide the party into a place from which it was to be expected they could never get out, was conclusive as to his intentions at least."

He had spoken rather disconnectedly, his sentences punctuated by the sounds of firing from the yacht. By the time he finished they were almost continuous.

"Why does it sound so much fainter than it did?" she asked. "It's not nearly so loud as that first volley we heard."

"And what will you do all the while sitting there and keeping watch? Would you—would you like to read father's journal? If you would, I'd like to have you, after what you said long ago about the men who risked and lost their lives trying to reach the pole. I think if you will read that book, you will understand, in spite of your wings. And—well, I'd like to have you understand."

He moved the bull's-eye to another part of the hut, where the light from it would not shine in her eyes, and would illuminate the pages of the book she offered him to read, while he sat, wrapped in her great coat, at the foot of the bunk.

Once as he passed by her in the completion of these arrangements, she withdrew her hand from the bag and held it out to him. "You've been very good to be," she said—"I don't mean by risking your life and plunging down into that bank of fog when you knew I was in danger. A brave man would do that, I suppose—some brave men, any way. But you've been better than that."

He told her not to talk, but to go to sleep; and without any more words ensconced himself at her feet, drew his legs up under him, tailor-fashion, and began to read.

She saw him close the book at last and sit there, as she had sat, with it upon his knees, absorbed, reflective. Suddenly, he took up the book again, opened it and referred to the entry on that last page.

He was thinking now, not dreaming. His mind was on the active present. Before long he stole a look at her. She met his eyes.

"I'm glad father told us that the man was left-handed," she said gravely. "Because the man who killed Mr. Hunter was left-handed, too."

She had spoken the very thing his own mind had been groping for without finding, and he started and stared at her. "Why do you say that?" he demanded. "How do you know?"

"It was left-handed stick. I took it up in my left hand and it fitted; that was when I was fetching it out of the cabin for Uncle Jerry."

"Then that was how you knew I hadn't done it?"

"No. I didn't need any proof. I knew already without that."

"Suppose I had turned out to be left-handed, too?"

"I didn't think of that. But it wouldn't have made any difference to me. When you really have faith in anybody it isn't easily shaken; not by mere circumstances, at least."

"When you really have faith," he repeated. "Yes, I suppose that's so." He pressed his hands against his temples. "But there isn't too much of that divine commodity in the world."

There was a long silence.

CHAPTER X.

What the Dawn Brought.

The man rose from his seat at the foot of the bunk and, with restless strides, began pacing back and forth in the narrow limits of the little hut. The girl lay still, but her eyes followed him. Her thoughts were keeping step with his.

"There's not much faith in the world, that's true," she said presently. "And yet, that's not exactly the world's fault. When people haven't anything else to walk by, they have to walk by sight—" she hesitated a little there, feeling for the words she wanted. "It was so easy," she went on at last, "to clear you of the thing they thought you did yesterday. Couldn't you give them a chance to believe the truth about the other thing too? There must be something you could reveal about that old charge that would wash out the stain of it—something that would make Tom see the falsity of it as clearly as I do."

"No," he said; "that was never possible. It's less possible than ever now."

That involuntary admission told her much. If the thing she suggested were less possible now than it had been before, then, somehow or other, the vindication must have rested in Perry Hunter's hands. But the finality of his voice and the dumb agony she saw in his face, as he paced back and forth beside her, prevented her from following up the admission, or urging him any further.

He pulled himself up sharply and looked at his watch. "It will be daylight in two hours now," he said. "When it comes we'll signal to the yacht and they'll send for you and take you away—you and this precious find you've made. In the meantime, you must go to sleep. You're stomach is as good as any."

Try Cascarets; they immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry of the constipated waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels. Then your stomach trouble is ended. A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10 cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach sweet; liver and bowels regular for months. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.

"I hardly dare go to sleep—not really deep asleep. If I did I'm afraid you'd turn out to be all a dream, and I'd find myself back in my stateroom on the yacht." She was speaking half in mockery, but there was an undertone of seriousness in her voice.

"Think how unlikely it is that all this can have happened," she went on. "You said this morning you were going to leave us, and I watched you go—How can it be anything but a dream that you were hanging aloft there in the sky, above the fog, ready to come plunging down when I cried out for help?"

"I told you once," he said not very steadily, "that one of us might be dreaming, but that one was not you."

"You will promise, then," she asked, "that if I go to sleep, I'll wake up here and not on the yacht, and that you won't have disappeared?"

"I promise," he said seriously.

He seated himself once more at her feet, switched off the fading light from the bull's-eye and drew the sleeves of her coat across his shoulders. "Good night," he said.

She answered drowsily.

Warmed a little, and oppressed by

complete exhaustion, he fell asleep himself. He knew, at least, that he must have done so, when, rousing with a start and springing to his feet, he saw a ray of sunshine splashed golden upon the opposite wall of the hut. It must have been light for hours.

Very silently, very cautiously he unbarred the door and pulled it open. Before opening the outer door, he drew his revolver and spun its cylinder underneath his thumb-nail. If the repulsed party from the Walrus were camped near by, it would be well to be cautious before reconnoitering.

He pulled the outer door a little way open and glance slantwise up the beach. The brilliant light dazzled him and made it hard to see; but apparently there was no one there. Stepping outside, he turned his gaze inland, along the foot of the cliff. His mind was entirely preoccupied with the danger of a sudden rush of enemies from near at hand.

That is how it happened that, for quite a minute after he opened the door and stepped outside, he did not cast a single glance seaward. He did not look in that direction, until he saw that Jeanne, awakened by the daylight in the hut, was standing in the doorway. Her own eyes, puzzled,

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Incredulous, only half awake, were gazing out to sea. The expression he saw in her face made him turn, suddenly, and look.

The scene before his eyes was beautiful, with that stupendous beauty that only the arctic can attain. The harbor and beyond it, far out to sea—clear to the horizon, was filled with great plunging, churning masses of ice, all drenched in color by the low-hanging arctic sun—violet, rose, pure golden-yellow and emerald-green, and a white whose incandescence fairly stabbed the eye. And as those great moving masses ground together, they flung, high into the air, broad shimmering veils of rose-colored spray.

Or the foe, which they had considered stable as the land itself, was no longer any sign. There was nothing there, nothing at all to greet their eyes, to seaward, but the savage beauty of the ice.

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He seated himself once more at her feet, switched off the fading light from the bull's-eye and drew the sleeves of her coat across his shoulders. "Good night," he said.

She answered drowsily.

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MILITIA QUELLS CONVICTS' RIOT

Prison at Jackson, Mich., Scene of Wild Acts by Desperate Men.

GOVERNOR OSBORN ON GROUND

One Prisoner Is Shot While Attempting to Reconnoiter—More Trouble Is Feared—Jail and Vicinity Under Strict Martial Law.

Jackson, Mich., Sept. 4.—Riot at the prison, brewing since Friday, reached a climax when prisoners consigned to the bull pen escaped from a dungeon and proceeded to demolish prison property. They made a wild dash to the dining room, driving the trustees from there and the kitchen, and grabbed handfuls of food.

Warden Simpson, fearing they would fire the institution, called out the fire department, and Captain Mackman of Company L. M. N. G. with recruits. Extra guards were placed around the prison and on the walls, with orders to shoot any convict showing resistance or trying to escape. The men hid behind an old engine house and when one, Peter Matool, ventured out to reconnoiter, he was shot by guards from the guard room, the shot hitting him in the arm, but not seriously wounding him.

Militia Cows Desperate Men.

When the militia appeared and began work all but 14 of the most desperate of the 62 men escaping promptly held up their hands and, like whipped curs, were taken back to their cells. As more militia arrived on the scene they were divided into squads and a thorough search made, with the result that all were found in various places in the yards and placed in cells.

Five companies are on guard, companies L and M from Jackson, two from Kalamazoo and one from Ann Arbor M. N. G., with Major Pack in command.

More Trouble Feared.

More trouble is feared and today the men will be put to work under militia escort, with the prison keepers nominally in control. The prison and vicinity are now under strict martial law. Governor Osborn is at the prison and says he will back Warden Simpson in every measure, even if something drastic is necessary. This settles the rumors that Simpson will be forced to resign.

When it was noted through the prison that the militia was on the walls and in the yards with guns and fixed bayonets, the silence of death fell on the institution, but after a time, but in weaker tone, the noise began; but it was noticed that the force had been spent and it was more in the nature of bravado. At supper time the soldier boys escorted 300 convicts to the dining room, where they had supper, and saw them safely back to their cells. They ate in silence.

Warden Simpson's residence is in the prison, and this is closely guarded.

BRITISH ASSOCIATION UP

Men of Science Attend 82nd Annual Meeting of Organization.

Dundee, Scotland, Sept. 4.—Leading men of science from all parts of the world gathered here today for the eighty-second annual meeting of the British association. The attendance was the largest in the history of the organization and is due to a program of exceeding attractiveness. Among the numbers are addresses and discussions on the origin of life, mathematics, physics, chemistry, geology, zoology, geography, economic science and statistics, anthropology, botany and educational science, and agriculture.

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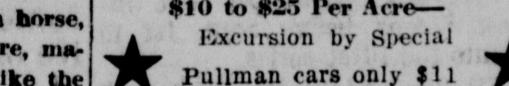
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| 92 1/4 | 92 1/4 | 91 1/4 | 92 1/4 |
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Corn—

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|--------|----------|--------|----------|
| 77 3/4 | 74 1/4 | 72 1/4 | 74 1/4 |
| 54 3/4 | 55 3/4 | 54 1/2 | 55 3/4 |
| 53 3/4 | 54 1/4 S | 53 3/4 | 54 1/4 S |

Pork—

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| 1770 | 1770 | 1750 | 1755 |
| 1785 | 1785 | 1760 | 1765 |

Lard—

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| 1120 | 1122 | 1115 | 1115 |
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Mongolians Suffer Heavy Loss in Engagement With Chinese.

Peking, China, Sept. 4.—A complete disavowal is given by the British foreign office of the so-called official announcement that the British government will formally demand arbitration on the Panama canal toll question.

The lines of action which lie before the British government are now being considered, and any announcement of the kind is premature.

This is the full text of the formal statement given out by the foreign office in reply to requests for details as to the reported demand for arbitration.

Newton C. Dougherty in Suit.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 4.—Newton C. Dougherty, former superintendent of schools at Peoria, Ill., recently released from the Illinois penitentiary, filed suit in the circuit court here to reclaim property

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A Telegraphic Chronicle of
State Happenings.

DISEASE CLOSES SCHOOLS

Eight Cases of Infantile Paralysis
Have Been Reported to the
State Board of Health
From Leroy.

Springfield, Sept. 4.—Eight cases of infantile paralysis have been reported to the state board of health from Leroy, McLean county. General alarm has resulted from the discovery of the cases. Local authorities of the place have instituted a rigid quarantine of every case, and schools will remain closed. In view of the precautions which have been promptly taken, Secretary J. A. Egan will not send an inspector to the place.

Meeting at Centralia Ends.
Centralia, Sept. 4.—The election of officers at the meeting of the sixty-second annual convention of the Illinois Christian Women's Board of Missions resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. Carrie F. Zeller, Petersburg.

Vice-President—Mrs. Nina Hale Boyd, Athens.

Corresponding Secretary—Miss Laura V. Thompson, Carthage.

Recording Secretary—Miss Bertha Pease, Latham.

Treasurer—Miss Henrietta Clark, Jacksonville.

Superintendent of Young People's Department—Miss Effie Gaddis, Griggsville.

This organization has a membership in the state of Illinois exceeding 8,000 in number and is one of the strongest missionary organizations in the state. A banquet will be served to 200 students from Eureka college by the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Zoo Company in Tangle.
Springfield, Sept. 4.—Stockholders in the Capital Park company, which controls the Zoo park north of Springfield, and other parks in Illinois, demanded an investigation of affairs in an effort to ascertain what became of the \$150,000 capital of the company. Trouble at the annual meeting was avoided when a new organization was formed and a promise was made to investigate the charges of mismanagement as soon as possible. William Wanbarger of Belleville was chairman of the meeting. A new company was organized and will take up the affairs of the old concern and probably redeem the Springfield Zoo park, which is now owned by a local lumber company.Bad Aim Saves Two Lives.
Chicago, Sept. 4.—Joseph Milora's bad marksmanship saved him from being a murderer and a suicide. Milora, who resides at 661 North Dearborn avenue, met Mrs. Albert Bouche of 3 West Delaware place at Rush and Superior streets and renewed a demand he frequently had made that she desert her husband and elope with him. Mrs. Bouche refused. The man then fired at Mrs. Bouche. The bullet went wide. He fired at himself, again he missed. Milora was sure, however, he had mortally wounded himself and threw the pistol over a fence. A private watchman seized Milora. He was taken to the Chicago avenue police station.Mother Saves Baby's Life.
Chicago, Sept. 4.—Mrs. Harry Hannigan, with her baby in her arms, was leaning over the railing of the porch at the residence of Mrs. Grover Manning at 211 North Kedzie avenue when the railing suddenly gave way. The woman and the child fell twenty feet to the pavement. Instinct, apparently, enabled the other to save her child's life. As she fell she twisted her body so that when they struck the ground the child was uppermost. The baby was unhurt. Mrs. Hannigan sustained a concussion of the brain and may die.Illinois First in Labor Aid.
Springfield, Sept. 4.—In his address at Lincoln park at the Labor day celebration Governor Deeneen made the statement that Illinois ranked first in the list of states in its legislation for the workingman. "Illinois mining legislation is recognized as a model for the mining legislation of other states," he said. "Our state occupies first place, also, in the lowness of the percentage of child labor in its industries. In its industrial legislation Illinois has kept pace with its industrial development."Diphtheria Epidemic at Pana.
Pana, Sept. 4.—An epidemic of diphtheria has broken out at Pana and the schools will not be opened for two weeks. Strict quarantine has been made. Sixteen cases are reported. All are confined within four homes. School children will not be admitted in any public places. The cases are mild and no deaths have occurred.Baptists Meet at Springfield.
Springfield, Sept. 4.—One hundred Baptist ministers, members of the Pastoral union and the Springfield Baptist association attended the annual convention of the two organizations. A reception for the delegates was held at the Elliott Avenue Baptist church.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mary E. Fane, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Mary E. Fane, Deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, at the October term, on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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Chicago, Sept. 4.—After holding six detectives at bay for a half hour, during which time a revolver battle took place, Thomas Shannon, an alleged freight car thief, was captured here. More than one hundred shots were fired in the battle. Shannon was wounded in the right arm.

City on Breakfast Food Diet.

Princeton, Mo., Sept. 4.—Princeton has just closed a week's diet on breakfast food and various kinds of patent eatables in order that the poor of the town may not be in need this winter.

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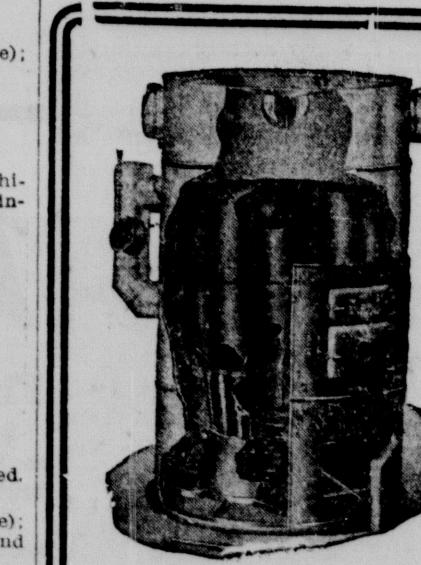
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